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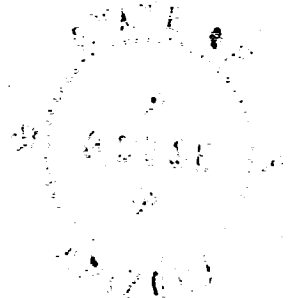
State of Arizona  
House of Representatives  
Forty-fifth Legislature  
First Regular Session  
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## HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL 2002

### A CONCURRENT MEMORIAL

URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PROVIDE  
GRANTS FOR THE NAVAJO ELECTRIFICATION DEMONSTRATION PROJECT.

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1 To the Congress of the United States:

2 Your memorialist respectfully represents:

3 Whereas, in October 2000, Congress approved Senate Bill 964, which  
4 established a five-year program known as the Navajo Electrification  
5 Demonstration Project. This legislation authorized the spending of \$75  
6 million over a five-year period from 2002 to 2006 to provide grants of \$15  
7 million a year to bring electricity to parts of the Navajo Nation that are  
8 not currently being served; and

9 Whereas, the Navajo Electrification Demonstration Project would expand  
10 traditional sources of power and implement renewable energy sources and other  
11 advanced electric power technologies. The funds would be funneled through  
12 the Department of Energy and disbursed as grants to the Navajo Nation to  
13 provide electricity to approximately 18,000 homes on the Navajo reservation  
14 that currently lack this basic service. The act also authorized the  
15 Department of Energy to provide technical support to the Navajo Nation in the  
16 use of advanced power technologies; and

17 Whereas, despite the passage of Senate Bill 964 last year, Congress  
18 must act to appropriate the funds in order for the money to be distributed  
19 to the Navajo Electrification Demonstration Project. We encourage Congress  
20 to provide the necessary funding for the grant program in the federal budget  
21 so that a basic necessity such as electricity can become available to the  
22 entire Navajo Nation.

23 Wherefore your memorialist, the House of Representatives of the State of  
24 Arizona, the Senate concurring, prays:

25 1. That the Members of Congress of the United States support  
26 legislation appropriating \$75 million between 2002 and 2006, or \$15 million  
27 a year, for the Navajo Electrification Demonstration Project.

28 2. That the Secretary of State of the State of Arizona transmit copies  
29 of this Memorial to the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker  
30 of the United States House of Representatives and each Member of Congress  
31 from the State of Arizona.

PASSED THE HOUSE MARCH 12, 2001


PASSED THE SENATE APRIL 11, 2001

FILED IN THE OFFICE SECRETARY OF STATE APRIL 12, 2001

Passed the House March 12, 20 01

by the following vote: 48 Ayes

5 Nays, 7 Not Voting

  
Speaker of the House


  
Chief Clerk of the House

Passed the Senate April 11, 20 01

by the following vote: 26 Ayes

4 Nays, 0 Not Voting

  
President of the Senate

  
Secretary of the Senate

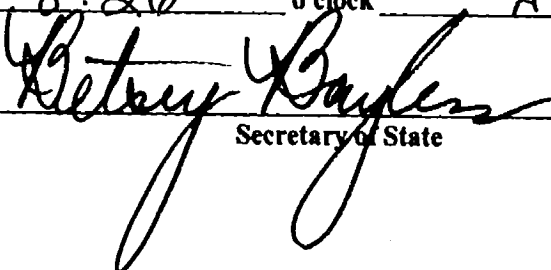
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA  
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

H.C.M. 2002

This Memorial was received by the Secretary of State

this 12 day of April, 20 01

at 8:26 o'clock A. M.

  
Secretary of State